

SENATE, No. 187

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 216th LEGISLATURE

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SYNOPSIS

Requires certain bidders for prevailing wage public work to provide proof that the prevailing wage will be paid.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel



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1 AN ACT concerning certain contracts for public work and
2 supplementing P.L.1963, c.150 (C.34:11-56.25 et seq.).
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4 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
5 *of New Jersey:*
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7 1. If a person makes the lowest bid for a contract with a public
8 body for public work subject to the provisions of the “New Jersey
9 Prevailing Wage Act,” P.L.1963, c.150 (C.34:11-56.25 et seq.) and
10 that bid is ten percent or more lower than the next lowest bid for the
11 contract, the person making the lowest bid shall provide proof to the
12 satisfaction of the public body that the prevailing wage rates
13 required by that act shall be paid. If the bidder does not provide the
14 proof, the bid shall be rejected.
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16 2. This act shall take effect immediately.
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19 STATEMENT
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21 This bill provides that if a person makes the lowest bid for a
22 contract with a public body for public work subject to the
23 provisions of the “New Jersey Prevailing Wage Act,”
24 P.L.1963, c.150 (C.34:11-56.25 et seq.) and that bid is ten percent
25 or more lower than the next lowest bid for the contract, the person
26 making the lowest bid shall provide proof to the satisfaction of the
27 public body that the prevailing wage rates required by that act shall
28 be paid. The bill requires the bid to be rejected if the bidder does
29 not provide that proof.